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23. The apparatus of claim 20 wherein the light source is a laser.
24. The apparatus of claim 21 wherein the light beam is a pulsed laser beam.
25. The apparatus of claim 20 wherein the scanning element comprises a scanning mirror.--

In the Drawings:

Amend Figure 1 as shown in the enclosed sketch, in which changes are shown in red.
Add Figures 2 and 3 as shown in the attached sketch.

REMARKS

Amendments have been made to make minor corrections to the specification and Figure 1 to make the two consistent. New drawings supported by the original disclosure have been added. Figure 2 shows indicia comprised of alphanumeric characters. Figure 3 shows a portable unit. Amendments to the specification have been made to refer to the new figures. No new matter has been added.

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